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other. There is no bright line between agricultural and...agriculture and horticulture. It is a constitutional phrase that I find quite cumbersome to use, but nonetheless it's one in statute. Much of what we're talking about here today is, in fact, already established. Productivity ratings are, in fact, already used. The sources of those are as defined. My...and I'm repeating that my inclusion of "or other local, state, or federal agencies" is fundamentally to accommodate terminology changes over time. So, with that, I'll say, Mr. Speaker,...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN PRESIDING

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Yes.

SENATOR COORDSEN: ...that's...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you. Senator Raikes.

SENATOR RAIKES: I would like to speak to the bill rather than this amendment, if I could. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Chambers. Senator Chambers, it's your...your five minutes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Oh, thank you. Mr. President, members of the Legislature, there was a wire story this morning which I think ought to trouble all of us because it shows incompetency where there ought to be competency. And perhaps my discussion with Senator Coordsen about these various agencies from which you obtain information may show why you shouldn't use the language that would allow various local or state agencies without naming them. Hastings, Nebraska: It was a cow's teat. People in the street would say tit. Police announced Tuesday that what had appeared to be a severed human penis found at a local car wash was actually a cow's teat. The teat was discovered February 12th by a customer near a coin-operated vacuum system. Hastings police, not Keystone Cops, I want to stop anybody from saying that, don't say Keystone Cops, anybody, Hastings police had been treating the case as a homicide to make sure that possibility was covered, but they repeatedly said that did not